

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
LAREDO DIVISION**

United States of America

*versus*

Edward Gutierrez

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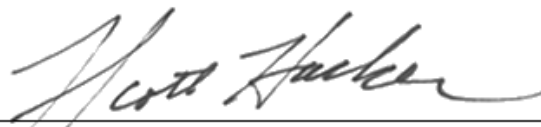
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Criminal Case 5:09–mj–00992

**ORDER APPOINTING PUBLIC DEFENDER**

Because the above named defendant has testified under oath or has otherwise satisfied this court that he or she is financially unable to employ counsel, and does not wish to waive counsel, and because the interest of justice so requires, the Federal Public Defender is hereby appointed to represent this person in the above designated case.

If appointment is made by a Magistrate Judge and the case subsequently proceeds to the United States District Court, the appointment shall remain in effect until terminated or a substitute attorney is appointed.

  
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J. SCOTT HACKER  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

Date of order: April 27, 2009